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Docket No.: 50395-058

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
Hidetoshi SAITO, et al. : Confirmation Number: 7401  
Serial No.: 09/597,558 : Group Art Unit: 1764  
Filed: June 20, 2000 : Examiner: Tran, Hien Thi  
For: PARTICULATE TRAP FOR DIESEL ENGINE

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action  
dated February 26, 2004.